

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION 5 77 WEST JACKSON BOULEVARD CHICAGO, IL 60604-3590

July 26, 1996

REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

District Commander U.S. Army Engineer District, Chicago 111 N. Canal Street, 6th Floor Chicago, IL 60606-7206

Dear Sir:

On behalf of the United States Environmental Protection Agency, I hereby request and authorize employees of the United States Army Engineer District, Chicago, to execute any and all manifests for the transport of waste materials for the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency as generator for the NL Industries/TARACORP Superfund Site in Granite City, Illinois.

This authority applies to the execution of any other documents including, but not limited to, Land Disposal Restriction Customer Notification and Certification Form, Waste Profile Sheets and unique forms required by state regulatory authorities, necessary or incidental to the completion of the manifests for the transportation and disposal of waste.

It is understood and agreed that the U.S. EPA retains any and all responsibilities, duties, and/or liabilities which may arise from its status as a waste generator. This authorization and direction does not transfer any aspect of this status as a generator to the U.S. Army Engineer District, Chicago. District to properly perform the duties of this agency as a generator in relation to the manifests and related documents.

I have the actual authority to issue this authorization and direction on behalf of the U.S. EPA.

Sincerely.

Brad Bradley

Remedial Project Manager

BB/dl

cc: Bob Rogers

EPA Region 5 Records Ctr.

